

THE BLAIRMORE ENTERPRISE

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THE BLAIRMORE ENTERPRISE THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1934.

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(Member) SATURDAY AND MONDAY SPECIALS

BUTTER Leader Brand Creamery... 2 lbs 39c

Fresh from the Churns—Limit 10 lbs

One Large Pkg Jiff Flakes, 6 bars Pearl Soap 45c

SOAP Lifebuoy—the health soap... 2 Cakes 15c

Vinegar, Ensign, white, quarts... 21c

Vinegar, Ensign, brown, quarts... 21c

FLOUR A.G. 98-lb Bag \$2.49

Sardines, Yacht, Norwegian... 2 tins 23c

Plums, Greengage... 2 tins 23c

FLOUR A.G. 49-lb Bag \$1.29

Soap Chips, Calumet... 5-lb pkgs 55c

Cookies, Roman Meal... Doz 10c

APPLES Mac. Reds, fancy, wrapped, C. 4.49

Salmon, Sockeye, 1/2 lb tins... 2 for 29c

Tea, Salada, Brown Label... Lb 55c

We have a nice supply of Fresh Vegetables for New Years.

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All Ladies' Winter Coats, Girls' Coats, Boys' Wind-breakers and Men's Heavy Sweater Coats at

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BLAIRMORE

The residents of Blairmore, Alberta, are going to give themselves another holiday on the day after Christmas Day. They recently have refused to grant the school children a day off in honor of the wedding of the Duke and Duchess of Kent, but they had previously distinguished themselves by declaring a holiday to mark the anniversary of the establishment of the Soviet in Russia.

Blairmore doesn't seem to be what its name implies. Way back it was probably founded by Scots from Perthshire, where Blair Atholl, Blairgowrie and several other Blairs are names to conjure with in Scottish history.

The Alberta Blairmore has fallen

from grace. Can it be that the Scots have been pushed out by aliens who have not got the making of good Brits in them?—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

DANCE THE OLD YEAR OUT. Elks' 11th annual dance-frolic. Monday, December 31st, Columbus hall. Arcadians' music, confetti, streamers, noisemakers, to help whoop'er up.

MERCHANTS—now is the time to order Counter Check Books at direct from factory prices, plus freight. Delivery will be made to suit your convenience. Do not allow your supply to run low before ordering, as it takes close to one month to secure the new supply. Prices gladly quoted on any style of book, also all forms of loose leaves, etc. Phone 11, The Enterprise.

The reduction granted in license fees at April 1, July 1, and November 1, will be carried through, applying to the reduced fees as announced, as well as to other fees.

The reduction in fees will make the license on all cars not exceeding 100-inch wheel base \$10 instead of the present \$15, on cars not over 105-inch wheel base \$12.50 instead of \$17.50, on cars not over 110 inches \$15 instead of \$20, and on cars not over 115 inches \$20 instead of \$22.50. Cars over the 115-inch wheel base will be licensed at the same rates as at present.

There will be a reduction of \$1.00 also in the license fees for all motor vehicles manufactured eight years previous to January 1 of the current license year, the fee for such cars with 100-inch wheel base being \$8 instead of \$9, and so on up to cars not exceeding 120 inches in wheel base.

The proposed increase in gasoline tax, stated Mr. Reid, will put the province on the same basis as British Columbia and Manitoba, whose tax has been seven cents for some years. The three Maritime provinces have a tax of eight cents, while Ontario and Quebec are six cents.

With respect to car licenses, Mr. Reid pointed out, Alberta will now be lower than either Saskatchewan or B.C., the latter having a fee of \$20 for the 100-inch car, with an initial fee of 10 for all car owners in addition, while Saskatchewan's fee for the 100-inch car is \$12.50.

In stating that there will be no change in the license year, Mr. Reid announced that all licenses will be due and payable at the first of the year, but that 15 days' grace will be allowed before those driving without licenses will be subject to prosecution.

The local branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., moved into their spacious new clubrooms yesterday. We understand the official opening ceremony will be performed on Friday evening next.

While still lacking somewhat in condition, the Dynamiters looked good in blanking the Smoke-Eaters twice. Hornquist in goal was decidedly good. Cool and smart this young man is one hundred per cent.—Kimberly Courier.

HEALTH!

The Greatest Asset you and your Family Possess. Why Neglect it? ILL HEALTH—Your Greatest Liability—WHY CULTIVATE IT?

Wampole's Tastless Preparation of Cod Liver Oil will safeguard you and your children against the danger signals of ill health. It is the only safe and reliable product for the use of PURE COD LIVER OIL for the treatment of wasting diseases, particularly where there is a tendency to chest weakness or lung trouble. It is not only pleasant to the taste, but easily digested and rapidly assimilated. It restores the worn out cells, creates warmth and renewed energy, and increases weight more rapidly than any other remedy. FOR THAT STUBBORN COUGH IT HAS NO EQUAL.

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For convalescent, weak or growing children, a marked difference can be noticed after the use of one bottle.

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New Year

In token of appreciation for pleasant relations during the past year, we greet you right heartily at this festive season and wish you Health, Happiness and Prosperity during the coming year.

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Men's, Women's and Children's Clothing
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FRI. and SAT. Dec. 28th - 29th

RONALD COLMAN THE RETURN OF

Bulldog Drummond IN BULLDOG DRUMMOND STRIKES BACK

with

Loretta Young, Warner Oland, Chas. Butterworth, Una Merkel, C. Aubrey Smith

Musical Revue "Pare, Pare"

Mickey Mouse Cartoon "Orphans Benefit"

And Movieclone News Reel

Sat. Matinee 2 p.m., Adm. 25c, 10c

Two Shows Sat. 7.30 and 9.30 p.m. Admission 40c and 25c

MON. Dec. 31 - TUES. Jan. 1st

WALLACE JACKIE

BEERY-COOPER

The Champ and the Kid together again in Robert Louis Stevenson's immortal story

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With Lionel Barrymore Otto Kruger Lewis Stone - Ned Bruce - Charles "Chic" Sale

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Novelties

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Love finds a way to solve the most baffling mystery.

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Showing the

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS in action with Robert Young Madge Evans Nat Pendleton Ted Healy

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was here, her father, John Rogers, being sales agent for the Coal Company for a number of years.—Fernie Free Press.

Sir, with nearly 80,000 Boy Scouts, ranks fourth among the Scouting na

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The British house of lords are considering a government bill which would authorize the lending overseas of pictures representative of British art now in the National Gallery.

Leonard Walsh, 27, son of Stephen Walsh, former under-secretary of war in the first MacDonald (Labor) cabinet, was killed when he fell through the door of the Manchester express.

The Alberta provincial seed fair will be held in Edmonton on dates tentatively fixed as April 14 to 16, inclusive. It was decided at a meeting of the Alberta seed board in Calgary.

Opposition to the idea of equipping the League of Nations with armed forces was expressed at a meeting of the League of Nations union by Sir Austen Chamberlain, former foreign secretary.

Citizens of Rolling Fork, Miss., received an early Christmas present in 1934—being an announcement by Mayor Sam Rosenthal that 1935 will be the fourth consecutive year in which no taxes will be collected.

In the four months ending Nov. 30 last, a total of 13,585,720 bushels of wheat, barley, oats and rye was exported to the United States, compared with 24,771,100 bushels in the same period last year.

Italy's 83rd province, Littoria, re-claimed from the Pontine marshes, was inaugurated by Premier Benito Mussolini, with 150 marriages and a speech. The new province comprises 30 communities with a population of 13,000 inhabitants.

The king and queen for the first time have seen a boxing match on the stage, the occasion being the annual matinee in aid of King George's pension fund for actors, always one of the most brilliant events of the season.

The German cruiser Karlsruhe will visit Canadian and United States ports during its forthcoming American cruise. It has been announced. The warship will visit San Francisco, March 10; Vancouver, March 15-21; Houston, Texas, April 24, and Charleston, S.C., May 10-20.

Shows Substantial Gain

E.C. Salmon Pack Higher Than Any Year Since 1929

British Columbia's output of canned salmon for 1934 will be well above the average quantity put up annually in the preceding 5-year period, 1929-1933.

At the middle of November the pack amounted to more than 1,555,000 forty-eight pound cases as compared with an average of 1,330,750 cases in the years 1919 to 1933. Production during the remaining part of 1934 will be on a small scale, of course, as compared with production in the earlier months but enough fish will be taken to bring the year's total to something like 1,600,000 cases. In the full year 1933 the pack totalled 1,265,072 cases.

In making comparison between the 1929-1933 average and the pack figures for the current year it may be noted that the earlier years included one in which British Columbia's salmon output reached record size—2,221,783 cases in 1930—but that they also included a season of small production, 1931, when the canneries turned out only 685,104 cases. The small size of the '31 pack, by the way, was not due to scarcity of salmon but to a curtailment of operations by the fishermen and canneries when it was seen that market conditions abroad were very unfavourable.

Granted New Trial

Three B.C. Indians Win Appeal In Murder Case

The British Columbia court of appeals granted a new trial to the three San-Reserve Indian brothers, Richardson, Ernest and Alex George, convicted and sentenced to death for the murder of Dominion Constable F. H. Gisborne on the reserve on the night of May 23 last. The appeal was heard in October and decision has now been handed down. The three men were sentenced to hang on October 26, but a reprieve was granted pending the result of the appeal.

Water For Hay Fields

Dams to flood large flats for growing purposes are being built by the Surprise Valley municipality in southern Saskatchewan. Farmers are allowed credit on relief for work done. It is hoped to provide water to give 3,000 extra tons of hay.

Agriculture And Weather

Dominion Meteorological Service Gives Data Daily And Monthly

The Dominion Meteorological Service is desirous of assisting agriculture, Dr. J. Patterson, of Toronto, Chief of the Service, told the Conference of Dominion Entomologists recently assembled at Ottawa. In his address he outlined the nature of the data his service compiles daily and monthly for the use of agriculture, navigation, aeronautics and other national services.

Dr. Patterson emphasized the relation of weather forecasts to agriculture generally and particularly in regard to the study of insects and diseases affecting field crops. In the discussion that followed it was urged by several of the entomologists that the service of an agricultural meteorologist, who could devote all his time to the study of weather in its relation to agriculture, was of paramount importance. Dr. Patterson agreed, and admitted that if the necessary funds could be provided he would be very pleased to have his service enlarged in this way.

FASHION FANCIES



SPRUGHTLY NEW SIMPLE TO MAKE!

By Ellen Worth

Sort of dress that goes shopping in morning—to "bridge" in afternoon. A dress like this is a happy model to have in the closet. It answers so many "dates" for you carried out as the original in black pebbly crepe silk with white starched lace trim. Ethinic buttons decorate the waistline.

It's also fascinatingly lovely in satin-back moire' with self frill and in bright shade as ruby red, Kelly green, purple, etc., so smart 'neath "Wool" crepe or velvet is still another choice.

Style No. 710 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inches. Size 16 requires 3 1/4 yards of 33-inch material with 1/2 yard 35-inch contrasting for jabot and 1/2 yard 35-inch contrasting for vest and trimming.

Materials 20c each. Address mail orders to: Pattern Department, McNamee News Paper Union, 175 McDermid Ave., E. Winnipeg.

Send a 25c stamp with a copy of our Fall and Winter Fashion Magazine. Pattern and magazines are mailed post paid.

"How to Make Better Dresses" is a helpful guide to sewing and is obtainable for 20c. Whether you are a beginner or quite adept with the needle, we think it will pay you to obtain a copy.

Would Do Just As Well

An old gentleman saw a group of small boys in an English park and asked one of the number what game they were going to play.

"Cricket," said the youngster. "We're going to play a game of England versus the West Indies."

"Are some of you going to black your faces, then?" asked the old gentleman.

"Oh, no!" said the youngster, very seriously. "Some of us are going to wash them."

Fatigue Affects Brain

When a man or woman becomes thoroughly tired, that person is at least mildly insane, Prof. M. Johnstone, psychologist, told the Sigma XI Society, honorary scientific fraternity, at the University of Virginia.

Unemployment in France is about 100,000 more than a year ago.

Little Journeys In Science

FERTILIZERS

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)

Plants take carbon dioxide and a small quantity of oxygen from the air, but otherwise they depend largely on the soil for nourishment. Mineral matter and organic matter are the chief plant foods contained in the soil, and because they are being continually drawn upon by the growing plants, it is necessary that they be replaced from time to time.

This process is known as fertilizing the soil, and the three chief substances used are: Phosphates of calcium, nitrogenous matter, and compounds of potassium.

The phosphates of calcium consist chiefly from rock phosphates, 70% of which are composed of phosphates of calcium. These rocks are ground up and treated with sulphuric acid before being suitable to be used as fertilizers. Ground-up bone is another source of calcium phosphates, and in addition it contains nitrogen, giving it added value. However, the supply is not sufficient to meet the demand and so the rock phosphate remains the chief source of the product. "Slags" which appear in the production of steel are a further source of phosphates and are used for the soil.

The nitrogenous matter is obtained from various chemicals containing nitrogen and from decomposed animal matter. Nitrogen is also put into the soil by the production of leguminous plants (alfalfa, beans and peas) which return nitrogen to the earth.

Potassium compounds are found in natural deposits in France and Germany, but are rare on this continent.

Most commercial fertilizers are a blend of these three substances, the proportions varying according to the needs of the soil, and the nature of the crop. Wheat and other cereal crops need a soil rich in phosphates, while potatoes require more potassium.

Judge—"What possible excuse did you have for acquitting that murderer?"

Foreman of Jury—"Insanity."

Judge—"What, all twelve of you?"

A thermometer has been invented to register the temperature of grain in bins 40 feet deep to prevent danger of overheating.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD
SNAPSHOOTING CHRISTMAS

Two typical Christmas shots. At the left, Big Brother starts off to try his new skates. Right, the youngsters are all set to grab Santa.

The only trouble about making pictures of the Christmas season is that the days go so fast. Before we know it, chances for rare shots have come and gone—some of them never to return next year or ever. For better or worse, we'll add the new to the old, and it will grow up and friends will move away.

To do the job up brown, you'll probably need to call all of your snapshooting talent into play. For this'll be a feather in your cap, a fine record to set, and it'll add to your pictures, close-ups and long shots.

For example: Holly wreaths at the door and in the windows. See them, with lights arranged to bring out their full importance. A time-explosion from the outside, shooting in through the window, at the lights, will give a good silhouette of the wreath in the window. Ask one of the youngsters to stand very still at the window during the explosion; you'll add the scene as it actually is. The more the better.

If there are children, get a snap of them with Santa, with his gifts. And there's no reason why another member of the family shouldn't have the same treatment. If Slater has a new wrist-watch, set to it and have a picture of it.

If yours is a neighborhood where the folks make much of outside decorations, with illuminated trees and such, you'll find that time-explosions are the best way to get excellent pictures of the various light displays. Here, as in practically all shots, a tripod will come in very handy.

And if carol singers come your way, get a shot of them while caroling away. A photoflash type lamp, in a hand-battery holder, will make this easy.

Now—no, you needn't spend the whole time with camera in hand. But a few, well-chosen snaps will be very much worth the few minutes they will take. And the best time to take them is when the light is at its lowest, in the few minutes just before the evening opportunities altogether. Right?

Canadian Fur Farms

Wide Variety Of Felts Now Coming From Over 6,000 Farms

There are now over 6,000 fur farms in Canada, over 5,000 of them being fox farms. The total value of the animals on the farms is nearly 7,000,000 dollars. In the early days of the industry, attention was directed chiefly to the silver fox, but, although this kind is still by far of greatest importance, other kinds of fur-bearing animals are being raised successfully on Canadian farms. As a matter of fact during the last three years more muskrat skins were cured in Canada than any other kind.

The mink in particular seems to thrive in captivity. Other kinds of animals raised on the farms include raccoon, skunk, marten, mink, bobcat, badger, lynx, mink, ferret, weasel, nutria, muskrat and beaver. Nutria is a native of South America, and another native, the chinchilla of Bolivia, is now being raised successfully on the North American continent.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

CHOCOLATE CRISPIES

1 square unsweetened chocolate, melted
1/2 cup butter or other shortening
1/2 cup sugar
1 egg, beaten
1/4 cup sifted flour
1/4 cup nut meats, finely chopped.
To melted chocolate, add butter, sugar, egg, flour and vanilla, and beat well. Spread mixture in thin layer in two greased pans, 8x8 inches. Sprinkle with nuts. Bake in oven (400 degrees F.) 12 to 15 minutes. While warm, mark into 3x3 inch squares. Cool and break into squares. Makes 2 dozen crispies.

CRANBERRY MOLD

1 package lemon-flavored gelatin
1 1/2 cups warm water
1/2 cup finely cut celery
1/2 cup drained, canned crushed pineapple
1 cup thick cranberry sauce

Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in remaining ingredients. Turn into mold. Chill until firm. Unmold on crisp lettuce. Garnish with mayonnaise. Serves six.

Find New Coal Fields

Antarctica May Possess Greatest Reserves In World

The geological sledging party of the second Byrd Antarctic expedition has come upon new coalfields and plant-bearing sandstone holding numerous fossils, 182 nautical miles from the South Pole at the head of Thorne glacier in the Queen Maud range.

The coal deposit is presumed to be extensive. Griffith Taylor, well-known authority on Antarctica, has speculated on the possibility that Antarctica may possess the greatest coal reserves in the world.

Teacher—Who discovered America? Robert? Robert—Ohio.

Teacher—No, Columbus did it.

Robert—Yes'm, Columbus was his teacher.

Zebra fish have stripes every much like those of a zebra.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

DECEMBER 30

TESTS OF A CHRISTIAN

Golden Text: "Whosoever believeth in the Son, he liveth; and whosoever loveth him, he liveth also that is begotten of him, 1 John 5:12." Lesson: 1 John 5:1-12.

Devotional Reading: John 15:1-17.

Explanations And Comments

The Vision of Paul, verse 1-5.

Paul is Jesus as the Christ in the vision of the birth from God; and every one who loves God loves the children of God. Love to God and the brethren are the same. When we love God and do his commandments—when our love of God is genuine—then our love of our brethren is genuine. We should love God and love to the children of God; the test of the love of God is the proof of God's commandments to us.

"The innumerable things seem to think that the rest of religion is in the imagination. It is their way of thinking that religion is all self-sacrifice. But as you know, 'Obligeance alone constitutes moral good. It has not pleased God to be worshipped without being obeyed. Religion is always a law and a problem. 'Walk in love, do what is right, do not let the sound depths of mystery but to do as we bid.' (W. L. Watkinson).

For whatsoever is God's commandment is given for us to do, and what is given for us to do is given for us to do as we bid. John stands for all that is opposed to love. He who is born of God has within himself the power to win the victory over all self-sacrifice. Let us consider this. Is this being born of God? This is the victory that overcomes the world, even our faith. And who is he that overcomes the world, but he who believeth that Jesus is the Christ?"

"In the radical change that transforms one who has surrendered himself to the love of God, comes the implanting of faith, the faith which is not merely the mind's belief, but is the handing over of the whole man in love and trust."

Beef On The Christmas Sideboard

Beef Provides A Welcome Variety To The Menu At Yule-tide

While turkey may be regarded as the piece de resistance of Christmas dinners in Canadian homes, it is not necessarily the only meat which can be provided. For example there is beef—graded beef. Probably no other food is more attractive to the appetite of man than good pieces of beef with its enticing aroma, its delicious flavor and its highly appetizing appearance. As roast or steak, or in some of the many varied forms in which it can be served, beef will provide a welcome variety during the Christmas festivities, and find a handy place on the sideboard in reserve in the pantry or refrigerator.

But the popularity of beef has a much deeper foundation than simply its appeal to the palate. Recent experiments and research have shown that man's natural fondness for meat is based upon sound scientific grounds as a body builder and as an aid to digestion when eaten with cereals and vegetables. In no other country can better beef be found than in Canada. Beef graded under the supervision of the Dominion Department of Agriculture is guaranteed to quality and wholesomeness, the "Choice" or red brand, representing the finest quality, and the "Good", a fine grade that carries the moderate amount of fat necessary to protect the beef in handling and cooking, and render it tender, juicy, and of good flavor. Over one hundred different recipes for cooking meat are given in the bulletin on beef and how to choose and cook it, issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture which also publishes a beef chart of the retail and wholesale beef cuts, and diagram of cutting.

The record of Irish retail trade is the Traveling Shop. These shops are motor vehicles which travel about the country bringing to the farmhouses domestic requisites, and at the same time purchasing from farmers their eggs and butter. These shops pay no taxes and can select the places where they are best, leaving to fixed places of business only the dullest days to make profits out of which rent, taxes, and wages have to be paid. Therefore the travelling shop, if urged, should also be registered.

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British Columbia Superlatives

By FRANK GIOLMA

The largest dry-dock in Canada is at Victoria, British Columbia, and probably the largest provinces in Canada. The largest hotel in British Columbia is the Empress in Victoria. Delta Falls on Vancouver Island is the highest waterfall in Canada. The largest park in British Columbia is Strathcona on Vancouver Island.

The largest astronomical telescope is at Victoria, British Columbia.

British Columbia is the greatest producer of silver, lead and zinc in Canada.

The greatest smelter in the British Empire is at Tadoussac, British Columbia.

British Columbia's commercial fisheries are the greatest of any Canadian province.

The oldest golf course on the Pacific coast is Macaulay at Victoria, British Columbia.

The per capita purchasing power of British Columbians is the greatest of any province in Canada.

The province of British Columbia is the great producer of lumber and saw-mill products in Canada.

The largest salmon caught in Canadian waters are taken off the coast of Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

British Columbia has the largest per cent of tax-free land in proportion to population of any Canadian province.

Victoria, British Columbia, has the mildest winter in Canada with an average daily winter temperature of 42 above zero.

The greatest stand of timber in the British Empire is in British Columbia, more than half being on Vancouver Island.

The largest indoor salt water swimming pool on the North American continent is at Victoria, British Columbia.

Victoria, British Columbia, is the only city in Canada where golf is played on green courses every day in the year.

Must Register Stores

Irish Free State Is Trying To Protect Owners

All retailers in the Irish Free State will be compelled to register their places of business if the recommendations of the Free State Commission on Shops are adopted. The general registration of all stores is recommended to prevent the undue multiplication of retailers, to facilitate control in the public interest, and to protect the owners themselves.

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Italy's Record Still Stands

Wiley Post Failed To Reach Necessary Altitude

Wiley Post was informed by the bureau of standards that he failed to reach an altitude of 48,008.36 feet, necessary for setting a new world's altitude record, in his recent flight.

The record of Litu-Alps, set by the record holder of Italy, 47,352.02 feet, still stands, the world flyer said. Post explained that according to the word he received from Washington he would have had to exceed the Italian airman's record by 200 metres to claim the record.

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THE TENDERFOOT

By
GEORGE B. RODNEYAuthor of "The Coronado Trail",
"The Canyon Trail", Etc.

SYNOPSIS

"You've fallen hair to a half-share in plenty of trouble," the lawyer told Gerald Keene. "The Broken Spur has been systematically looting the ranch, and old Jos' Carr, your partner, is drinking himself into oblivion. But you've decided to go see what was happening for himself—not as Gerald Keene, half owner of the Hour-Glass Ranch, but as Duro Spur, tenderfoot, in a Montgomery Ward suit and hat."

Dad Kane, desert rat and luckless prospector till now is returning to tell Dustin and Spike Goddard, owners of the Broken Spur, what was happening for himself—not as Gerald Keene, half owner of the Hour-Glass Ranch, but as Duro Spur, tenderfoot, in a Montgomery Ward suit and hat."

Spike Goddard and Sam Dustin, fearing the old prospector may tell others the things he has seen as to the branding of Carr's cattle, plot to get him to show them the location of the ranch and to tell them to leave.

Gerald Keene, dressed in ridiculous cowboy costume, arrived at the Hour-Glass ranch and is hired as a cowboy by Joe Carr. The impersonation of a tenderfoot is a success, and he is accepted as such by the other occupants of the bunkhouse.

Proof of Dustin's cattle stealing activities was accidentally discovered by Stone, who accompanied by Edith Carr, a widow, was on her way from the Hour-Glass ranch house.

Dustin unexpectedly comes along and seeing them, stops and talks to Edith. He mentions the Soda Springs dispute and is asked to leave him, and Edith refuses his proposal with remarks that make Dustin furious. He insults Stone, who promptly throws him into a pool of water.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER VII.—Continued

"You said not a word about it," said Crewe surprisedly.

"I had a reason. I believe a good one. If I had come back and told what I saw, hell would have broken loose and no good could have come of it. I tell you, you've got to have the evidence printed in broad and in cold-skin to last that man Dustin where he belongs. I'm slyly getting that evidence, I hope. Let me alone."

"You workin' for the Cattlemen's Association?" demanded Crewe.

"Nope. I like that fightin' man that Sir Walter Scott wrote a book about—Henry of the Wynd. I'm fightin' for my own hand. Let me alone a bit, Crewe, and I'll come clean."

Crewe eyed him keenly.

"I'll do just that," he said. "You were talkin' about findin' two of Dustin's men up Red Water way. Tell me what you saw. . . ."

Stone told him at length and, when he told how he made Gray and Crewe cut the mesquite branches and flog each other, old Crewe, who had a sense of humor, roared with laughter till he was helpless. Suddenly he stopped laughing, wiped his eyes and sat up.

"You'd have saved time an' trouble if you'd shot 'em right then," he said. "Of course you realize that it'll come to that. They'll lay for you in such a way that you'll have to do some shootin' in self-defense. . . . Only they'll make it look like it ain't self-defense. Why didn't you make just one fog the other? Then it'd have been a mutual killin' bee?"

"I didn't think of it," said Stone frankly. "I was so damn eager to see Dustin's men punish each other that I didn't think of it. Think we better tell Mr. Carr?"

"No. . . . Crewe shook his head. "We're in a bad enough mess as it stands. I'll handle it. Carr would only go on the prod. He'd shoot Dustin, and whenever shoots Dustin it mustn't be Carr. We've got Edith to think of."

Stone realized in a flash that since he had come to the Hour-Glass there had been few moments, sleeping or waking, in which he had not been thinking of Edith, but he could not say that to Frank Crewe. He nodded and rolled a cigarette thoughtfully.

"Let the other side do the talkin'," went on Crewe. "The man who talks most has got least excuse for what happens."

He rose, pocketed his pipe and strolled into the house, and Stone went off to the bunk-house where he was greeted with a shower of hot words. Lee, who had been sent to straighten up the stables, came back incensed.

"Your darned saddle was all over the place, Duro," he said. "I shifted it to another peg." He whispered something to Baines that made him look a-kance at Stone and presently a roar from the ranch-house brought

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him to the door. It was Crewe shouting for him.

"You, Stone," he shouted. "Mr. Carr wants to see you right away."

Stone stormed up the stairs. Crewe met him with a grave face and motioned for him to come while old Carr fretted and fumed across the desk.

"Sit down, Stone," said Carr, eying him balefully for a moment.

"I took you on my pay roll on trust," he said. "I didn't know a damned thing about you. I didn't ask for references. Look at this. . . ."

He flung on the table the little red notebook that Stone had picked up after Corse and Gray had their set-to. Stone took it and examined it carefully. He knew it had been in his saddle-bags two hours before. It ought to be there now. But what did this call mean about a notebook that didn't even belong to him? Carr went on and talked himself into wrath as men do.

"Lee shifted your saddle-bags to night and that book fell out," he said. "Wherever you get it?"

"It belongs to old man Kane. . . ."

"I know that. I know, too, that Kane is being financed by Dustin of the Broken Spur. You can't carry water on both shoulders, Stone. If you run with Kane, you can't trail with us. What have you got to do with Dustin of the Broken Spur? Have you lied to me?"

"You see, Stone," said Crewe amicably, "we know old Kane. He's a harmless old desert rat who's been tryin' to make a livin' in the hills for twenty years. The only thing against him is that he's been mixed up with Dustin. If you mix up with him, you'll be in trouble."

"Wait a minute. I'll show you just how much I'm mixed up with Kane and Dustin." Stone thrust a hand into his pocket, pulled out an envelope and flung it before Carr. The old ranchman opened it and read and his eyes bulged.

"By God," he said sharply. "This letter is to me from my partner, Gerald Keene. . . . Wherever you get it?" he demanded sharply. "If you had this letter of introduction from my partner, why didn't you give it to me before this?"

"It's a letter recommending me for a job," said Stone coolly. "I got the job so I didn't need the letter. If you'd refused me the job, I'd have given you the letter."

"We've been tryin' for a long time to find a place for you, said Carr. "We haven't been able to get his address. Can you give it to us?"

"Yes. I can tell you where to reach him. I will do better than that. I'll send him a wire that'll bring him here sure. In fact . . ."

Stone stopped short of disclosure. Something might yet turn up that would make that disclosure premature. Better wait till the very last. It could always be done. He felt, too, that Edith might feel that he was at fault.

"Get the horses," said Carr shortly. "Crewe'll ride with you."

"I'd like it understood," he said. "We talked more to you than I have to Mr. Carr or even to Miss Edith. I know that notebook up in Red Water canyon. I have never laid eyes on old man Kane and I don't know a thing about him. If he's a partner of Dustin, that damns him with me. You both know how I stand with Dustin. Mr. Crewe, if you'll ride in to Seco with me, we can send a telegram to Keene that'll put him on the job as soon as he can get here."

"Get the horses," said Carr shortly. "Crewe'll ride with you."

In ten minutes Stone was back with the horses and they took the trail at a gallop that ate up the miles. They came into Seco as the sun was dropping and during that ride Stone thought much but spoke little. It was time indeed, he felt, for him to take his own personality but . . . there was very little on which to base a charge against Dustin. Sam Dustin was known throughout the valley. Men, even those who did not like him, would rather espouse his cause than that of a stranger. Carr, by fencing Soda Springs, had alienated much of the affection he formerly commanded. No. Decidedly this was no time to drop his disguise. Let them think he was Duro Stone till Gerald Keene should come.

"It's a mighty poor day for any Hour-glass people to be in Seco, I'm thinkin' . . ."

Crewe jerked a finger toward the Silver Dollar saloon, where Stone recognized some of the Broken Spur men. "It's pay day on the Broken Spur," said Crewe.

"If you meet up with any of 'em you look to your shoeshin'. They'll make any excuse for a scrap. First we'll go to the telegraph office."

At the office Hoskins, the operator, grinned feebly as Stone wrote his message and slid it across the counter. That message simply said:

"Come at once. Your services needed."

"How long till you can report service on that wire?" he asked.

"In an hour if the party is at that address," said Hoskins.

"Good. I'll be at the Silver Dollar saloon. I'll be sober, too." Stone grimmed, pocketed his change and strode over toward the Silver Dollar with Crewe following him.

The Silver Dollar was the biggest and the worst-reputed in Seco and that night it was running full-blust. They thrust into the crowded barroom and realized at once that it was pay day, not only for the Broken Spur but for a half-dozen others of the ranches above the valley. Roulette wheels, chuck-a-luck and faro tables were running full-blust and a score of men lined up at the bar nodded greeting. At the far end of the bar Stone saw three men whom he knew as Broken Spur riders. Corse stood between two others and his eyes lit redly at sight of Stone. Behind Corse, Dustin stood toying with an empty glass. Neither man gave any sign of recognition and that itself was welcome to Stone. He glanced once at Dustin, who slipped a full hand into his coat-pocket and slouched forward to the bar, where Stone lounged across the edge.

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Duro—once a courtier at Corse's, now a bruiser at the whisky bottle till his glass was brimful and stood toying with it. The next moment Corse stumbled up against him and deliberately drove an elbow into his ribs and thrust him aside. A man, seeing the intent in Corse's eyes, gave back with an oath. Corse meant to drive Stone to go for his gun. Corse would shoot and it would be a plain case of self-defense. But Stone did no such thing.

He reeled back from the vicious thrust that nearly caved in his ribs and the next moment the contents of that full glass, whisky so potent that it was said to "make a rabbit split in a bulldog's face," was flung into Corse's eyes. It burned like fire and he stopped him in his tracks. No man can go for his gun with his eyes full of liquid hell-fire. The next moment a steel-shod shot out and Corse went down across a cuspidor. He half-stumbled to his feet, swearing and wiping his eyes as Stone stepped across him and faced Dustin.

"Here . . ."

". . . here . . ."

as the eyes of both men focused on Stone and the unwinking stare with which Dustin regarded him. She knew what it meant and she meant to warn Stone, whom she knew not at all. A quick flip of her pretty pink lips sent a wooden counter of the fast food straight at Stone and it hit him on the hand. He glanced up. That counter used to "copper" bets, could come from only one source. He looked at the case keeper. A quick backward nod of her pretty head toward Dustin and Corse won a nod of thanks from him and she sank back on her high stool with a little sigh of thanks. She had warned him at least.

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Big Generator Casing Gives English Railways Some Trouble

A 40-ton generator casing, which will eventually house the largest generator in Europe, at Battersea Power Station, S.W., arrived by rail at Old Oak Common, Paddington, W., from Trafford Park, Manchester. The casing had to wait at Paddington before the journey could be continued to Battersea, as Sunday was the only day it could travel. The casing, mounted on a trolley, covered two miles of railway line. Lines were cleared in many places for the journey. Platforms were cleared, and signal posts were loosened. At times the train stopped "up" a "down" line, and special signalling arrangements were made at some places.

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BANK OF CANADA PROBLEM

(By F. B. Housser, financial editor)

Nominations for the board of governors of Canada's new bank—the Bank of Canada—closed on December 5, and the list is now being weeded and classified for eligibility.

The regulations call for the selection of three classes of directors.

Class A must include two representatives of primary industries—agriculture, fisheries, lumbering, mining, etc.

Class B, two representatives of commerce and manufacturing.

Class C, three representatives from any class of industry.

This makes a total of seven directors, which will have to be elected from the 69 names at the shareholders' meeting on January 23.

It is not likely that ever before in any country has a situation arisen concerning the control of a central bank like that which now exists with the Bank of Canada.

Some 12,000 shareholders, scattered from Halifax to Vancouver, most of them one may be sure knowing next to nothing about the mysteries of banking and credit, with no means of judging the qualifications of nominees, are going to cast their votes, mostly by proxy, for their favorite candidate on January 23.

Between now and the 23rd of January the various candidates for office will doubtless be soliciting votes like candidates in political election.

Popularity and persuasiveness, rather than ability, is likely to be the most necessary qualification for the board of governors of Canada's new central bank.

The main reason given by its advocates for a privately-owned central bank was that under private ownership the political element would be removed, but political methods will certainly now be employed by many of those seeking the influential office of a place on the board of the governors of the Bank of Canada.

Probably realizing the dangers of the situation, the regulations permit the governor and the deputy of governor of the bank to be appointed by the Canadian government.

Had the principle of private ownership been followed through the directors themselves, they would have elected the two governors as they do in all joint-stock companies.

The duties of the board of governors of the Bank of Canada will be largely advisory.

The policies will be decided by the governor and deputy governor, whose difficult task would be greatly assisted by a board competent to advise and criticize.

In a recent speech at the Empire Club, Graham F. Towers, the new governor, said, "The problems of the movement are two in number—understanding and co-operation—and of this I think understanding is the more important."

For the understanding of the problem of managing currency and credit and price levels, a highly technical sort of training and study are necessary, yet it is this kind of understanding that will be demanded of the board of directors of the Bank of Canada.

If Mr. Towers has to give his board of directors a course in banking and economics before getting the understanding he is seeking, he cannot be blamed if he listens more to the advice of the board of directors of the Bank of England rather than to the directors of his own bank, and this might not always be the best thing for Canada.—Toronto Daily Star.

SOCIALIZATION OF INDIVIDUAL MODERN TREND IN RUSSIA

Dr. William Brewing, member of the Sherwood Eddy expedition to Russia and noted speaker on conditions in that country, in an address at Edmonton, dealt with the home life in Russia, or rather the lack of it, the educational system and religion.

"From the time of birth the individual lives for one purpose—the training and education of the child is taken over by the state." This, of course, banishes home life, but this is the desire of the government, as home life is inclined towards class distinction and class distinction has no place in the Soviet State. Russia is culture mad, and the education of each child includes a complete university education, and an unlimited opportunity to develop any particular talent. More than this, however, Russia has gone a step farther. The responsibility of the state does not end with a degree. A carefully prepared field wherein he may use the education he has acquired awaits each student. Enormous expenditures have of course been necessary to bring about this condition, but in return the state literally possesses the individual talent, and they are put only to use approved by the Soviet. From great mass illiteracy, Russia has in fifteen years lowered the per cent of illiteracy to thirty per cent. This natural condition naturally leaves us with the question: Will it work? Will personal and individual initiative ever be really moulded into social initiative?

"Freedom of speech and of the press is encouraged, except where the underlying principles of Communism are concerned. Criticism of them, however, is not tolerated. Churches may hold services as long as they do not teach; that is, there are no Sunday schools or seminaries, and in Moscow the queer paradox of the Soviet State

is the surging attempt to establish a righteous order with a spirit of righteousness behind it.

"What we call charity—camps for poor children, care of the aged and social welfare—is not charity in Russia. It is just another function of the state, carried on by the state. Every

where religion and communism are fighting it out. Russia is making a bold effort to build the superstructure of the social idea, which is the soul of Christianity, without God and without religion. The brotherhood of man is being lived in Russia under the name of Social Equality. People work and deny themselves to gain admittance to the Communist party. Every year they are challenged—'What have you done for Communism?' and if they have not done anything they are dropped from the party. At least Godless Russia is striving for a righteous order, which is more than any so-called Christian nation is doing."

SOCIAL CREDIT

We append a few of the statements made by the four Calgary representatives during their speaking tour, so that our readers may be in a position to decide whether or not we were justified in asking, "Why is it necessary to make such far-fetched and inaccurate remarks as these Calgary speakers gave utterance to?"

1. "Should a storekeeper receive 5,000 dollars from the Credit House, and so mismanage the business that this amount was gone. It would really not be a loss; someone would have had the goods."

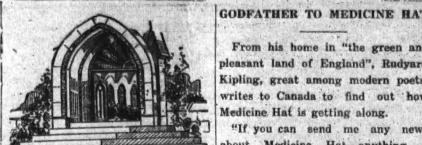
2. "Soon the right to vote would be taken from the people."

3. "We were shipping goods to other countries, while our own people were starving."

4. "The war could have been stopped in 1915 if the allies had destroyed German munition factories."

5. "The bankers of Great Britain had spent 25 million dollars to crush Major Douglas."

6. "The difference would be made up by making use of 'unearned increment'; this would be derived from



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provincial assets valued at 2,400 million dollars." (NOTE: This is capital value of Alberta. Surely the proceeds to pay basic dividends on the compensated price can only come from production which is about a tenth of this figure.)

7. "Your primary producers who have had no crop are really no worse off than those who have had a crop."

8. "The Provincial Government might sell out the rights of the people."

9. "Alberta provincial legislature possessed complete autonomy."—Delta Times.

THE RELATIVITY OF TIME

"It's no trick to grow old," says Edgar A. Guest, popular poet in a recent issue of Rotarian Magazine. "Any one can do it—if he has the time."

Behind the humor is an implication which Mr. Guest invariably hastens to make clear. Time, of itself, is nothing. It's what men fill it with that counts.

Possibly the loneliest men on earth are those who have lived many years, selecting for the target of their efforts not others, but themselves. They are the men who have regarded their vocations as merely means for profit, not as a trust for serving society. They are the men who have had no time, in the words of wise old Dr. Johnson, to keep their friendship in constant repair. They are the men who have not learned the delights of a hobby nor the thrill of a majestic sunset.

They are in short, the men who can say, as did Robert Louis Stevenson shortly before tuberculosis ended his days, "During my life I have not been bored. All experience has been to me interesting."

A LESSON LEARNED

It never pays to take too much for granted in this peculiar world we live in.

Nothing is ever harder to us or a platter, and everything worth while in life is only attained after hard struggle and sacrifice. So in this country we once thought that there could be no end to prosperity and took everything for granted. Surely by now we have learned that we cannot count our chickens before they are hatched, and who says that in learning this lesson we will not emerge better equipped for the future and with a more sensible conception of the truths of life as related to our economic well-being.

The Times, Swift Current, Sask.

GODFATHER TO MEDICINE HAT

From his home in "the green and pleasant land of England", Rudyard Kipling, great among modern poets, writes to Canada to find out how Medicine Hat is getting along.

"If you can send me any news about Medicine Hat—anything, I mean, from the local paper—I'd be grateful. I always loved that cheery little town. I remember it since '89, which makes me feel rather like a godfather to it. Then I saw it started on its way in 1907 when the gas fields were new, and all the people I met were more than kind to me."

It was Kipling who provided a rough and ready slogan for Medicine Hat when he called it "the town with all hell for a basement."

Incidentally, and apart from the reference to Medicine Hat, Kipling gave a reply in his letter to a question about courage and character. "The biggest man in every way I ever knew," he wrote, "never said or hinted in any way under any conditions whether he was hot or cold or full or empty or sick or sorry. That's character and I think it gives the highest form of courage. But the very greatest, the courage that takes responsibility, seems to need antecedent training on top of a natural gift."

So much for Rudyard Kipling!

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District News

From Our Own Correspondents

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

A Christmas entertainment and dance was held in the Todd Creek schoolhouse on Friday night, with a large gathering in attendance. A real jolly time is reported.

The winter, with us here, remained like September weather right up to Christmas Eve, with "Christmas Day" being ushered in on the wings of a snow storm, with the thermometer dropping to thirty-five below zero and holding around that point to the present writing, December 26th.

A Christmas frolic will be held in the Masonic hall tomorrow night, December 27th, under the auspices of the Cowley Girls' Club. A lively time is assured.

One of the best Christmas entertainments ever held in Cowley was staged in the Wilson hall on Friday night. The hall was packed to capacity, with many only able to find standing room when the curtain went up for the first number on a lengthy and well prepared programme, which lasted for a period of three hours and the singing of the last carol on the arrival of good old Saint Nicholas, who gave to every girl and boy (and babies, too) in the district a gift and candies, fruits, nuts and other goodies all-a-plenty.

Mr. and Mrs. Horning and Miss Avis and Norman motored to Arrowwood to spend Christmas, returning the same day.

Miss Muriel Marlow has returned from the Old Agricultural school for the season's holidays.

Miss Edith Murphy is paying a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Peel and family at Corbin.

A card party, sponsored by the ladies of the Anglican church, was held in the Cowley hotel on Wednesday evening, with the game of five hundred being played. Prizes were won by Mrs. A. G. Swart, Mrs. M. A.

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of Calgary, spent Christmas visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. Hampson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goodwin spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McAndrew, in Calgary.

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

The annual Sunday school Christmas Tree and concert was held in the United church on Saturday. After a very enjoyable concert, bags of candy were given to all the children, and books to those who had attended regularly throughout the year.

Cecil Couver, of Coutts, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dudley.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin spent their Christmas holidays at Michel.

A special service was held in the United church on Sunday evening. A string quartet, arranged by Mr. H. Stobbs, played several selections and led the hymns. Miss A. Martin was soloist. Rev. Mr. Wood officiated.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Anderson on Wednesday.

George Roassington, of Michel, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Westrup over Christmas.

Cyril Richards, who is teaching at Breton, came home on Sunday night for the Christmas vacation.

John Ferstay, Leonard Adam and Joe Ulrich, who are attending the Calgary technical school, came home for the holidays.

Gwyn Richards and Bob Cruckshank, who are attending the Edmonton University, returned home for Christmas.

Miss Louise Jones is spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. P. Salt.

W. H. and Mrs. Moser and family are visiting in Pincher Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Dix, of Calgary, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Willetts.

James Marshall, who is studying music in Calgary, arrived home for the Christmas vacation on Thursday evening.

Miss E. Strachan is spending the holidays at her home in Trochu.

A. Chrystie left Friday for Calgary.

A very successful dance, sponsored by the Social Credit group, was held in the Union hall on Wednesday night. Music was supplied by a new Hillcrest orchestra. The turkeys were won by Miss Margaret Grant and W. Makin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Webster and family motored to Mountain View last Friday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Sam Richards, who has been attending the Calgary normal school, is home for the Christmas vacation.

The annual Hillcrest school concert was held in the Union hall on Thursday evening; the hall being filled to capacity. Items on the programme were as follows: Chorus, conducted by Mr. Moffatt; play, "A Christmas Party," by Grade 1; Christmas Tree drill by Grade 1; play, "Boys' Rights," by Grades 2 and 3; Hatters' drill by Grade 2 and 3; "Pirates," by Grade 4 boys; Christmas Candle drill by Grade 4 girls; "Clock Murder Case," play, by Grade 5; chorus, "Highland Lassies," by Grade 5; "Kate Smith's Broadcast," by Grade 6; play, "Christmas Spirit," by Grade 7; "Dwarf Act" by two Grade 8 girls; "Gay Nineties" by Miss Martin's dancing class. Mr. W. Brushett acted as chairman. Books were presented to the following for highest averages in their grades for the June examinations: Grade 1, Betty Fry and Helen Gratchuk; Grade 2, Nellie Corbett and Helen Kybie; Grade 3, Violet Casagrande; Grade 4, Hazel Willatts; Grade 5, Anna McNeil; Grade 6, Olga Terlecki; Grade 7, Margaret Hutchison; Grade 8, Pauline Ferstay. Medals were presented to the following high school pupils for highest averages in the same exams: Grade 9, Mary Lipnicki; Grade 10, Kenneth Thornton; Grade 11, Allie Westrup; Grade 12, David Haggerty. The programme was brought to a conclusion with the singing of "God Save The King."

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Home and Flower

A further concession to the travelling public is announced by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Canadian Luggage Association in the statement that in future round trip railway tickets is possible to buy a ticket for a single passage only between departure point and destination, will be valid for stop-overs at intermediate points. This is an arrangement for many years Canadian railways have been selling one-month round trip tickets at twice the one-way fare, but for continuous passage only. Now, the stop-over privilege is granted without any increase in the price of the ticket. The passenger need only declare to the conductor the route to stop over, may do so on application to the conductor. This concession is felt by the railway authorities will add to further promote travel by rail in Canada.

Mr. D. Abbott, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Canadian Luggage Association, has been elected vice-president of the American Association of General Luggage Manufacturers, which organization consists of all the railways on this continent.

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A Word To Youth

Many young people enter the new year with feelings of discouragement and in a state of bewilderment. The future presents itself to them in the form of a very large question mark. The future always presents itself in this form; but, generally speaking, the answer, or at least some of the answers or a partial answer, has in a sense been positive. But in these times the riddle of the future seems exceedingly hard to decipher.

Nonetheless it is well within the realm of truth to say that, in large measure, the final answer is much the same as it has always been, and it is that, apart from changed conditions, it rests with the youth of to-day to work out their own destinies just as the youth in the ages of the past have always been called upon to do.

This is not the only era in the world's history when youth has had to face and contend with changed conditions. This is, and always has been, and always will be, a world of change—changing from day to day and from hour to hour. New times bring new conditions and new conditions bring new tasks and new problems demanding solution. This is life. Without such change there would be no life.

So there is, after all, nothing to a frighten the youth of to-day; rather because of the greater changes such recent years have wrought and the greater complexity of the problems calling for solution, there is also a great challenge to youth and more and greater, rather than fewer and lesser, opportunities awaiting youth's grasp.

What does youth need to do as an essential item of equipment to face the future, surmount the difficulties which lie in the path of the years, and achieve success? Sir Herbert Barker, the celebrated English surgeon, submits an answer. He says:

What we need to day among the young men is the spirit of initiative, the enterprize that takes chances and starts something new.

It is true that economic conditions are bad, but it is when things are at their worst that men of character rise to meet and challenge life.

To those dispirited young men who have been looking for jobs without any set plan, I would say: Determine first upon an objective. Know what you want. Then go out after it.

It sounds easy? But I do not speak without knowing what it means to struggle against obstacles. I have fought hard from the days when I sometimes wondered where my next meal was to come from.

The tragedy of such men is that as the months of unemployment drift into years, brains grow dull and character rots.

At the beginning, it is a problem of unemployment; in the end it is the tragedy of unemployment.

Any such young man, looking at life to-day with jaundiced eyes, maybe, living at home, or drawing upon kindly relatives for the wherewithal of life, I would say: End those conditions.

There are as many opportunities to-day as ever there were. But they are hard to find. There are rewards for enterprise and resource as dazzling as ever there were; but the road to them is steeper.

Will these soft sons of sturdy sires beat themselves, fight up out of the morass of apathy and lethargic inertia? Or are they, indeed, too soft in heart and head? I don't like to believe that the thing that pulled us through the War—in a word, "guts"—is a thing of the past.

Extremes Of Weather

Record Breaking Warmth And Rain Reported From Alaska

A torrential storm early in December brought damage estimated at \$100,000 to Cordova, Alaska, as the vagaries of the weather gave southern and interior Alaska more record-breaking warm weather, as well as heavy and heavy rains.

Sweeping in from the Gulf of Alaska a 55-mile gale raged for several hours there and at Seward. In 60 hours a total of 12.38 inches of rain fell.

Meanwhile, inland at Fairbanks, the spring-like temperature of 38 degrees, the warmest winter days for the months of November, December, January, February and March in the 30 years' history of the weather bureau, was recorded.

The snow was entirely gone at Fairbanks, as well as at numerous other points. The gale lashed heavily at Cordova.

An unprecedented thunder and lightning storm also swept over Cook Inlet.

Knights' Charges Now Farm Horses

Shire Horses Carried Armoured Knights To Battle In England

To many people in Canada the Shire horse is the horse of horses. In the olden days when knighthood was in flower, the Shire horse was the noble animal that carried armoured knights to battle when Merrie England went to war. He was the horse of the tilting tournaments, and he made a magnificent spectacle as he galloped thunderously into the lists. But nowadays there are only a few hundred purebred Shires in Canada and their number is decreasing. A few years ago some splendid specimens were sent from England to Canada, but out of the 2,508 purebred horses of various breeds registered with the National Livestock Records in the first eleven months of 1934 only six were Shires. To-day most of the purebred Shires are in Alberta.

Cannot Have Pockets
Boston police will not stand with their hands in their overcoat pockets. Some of the force received new coats, sans pockets. The others got the old coats back again, with the pockets sewed up.

New York Sales Tax
Because they sing at their meals, members of the New York Kiwanis Club must pay a two cent sales tax on their luncheon tickets. The tax applies to food when it is served "with entertainment."

New Use For Potatoes

Surplus Crop Can Be Converted Into Many Manufactured Articles

Millions of pounds of imported corn now used in the manufacture of a wide variety of food products could be replaced by Canadian potatoes, thereby upping the entire potato surplus of 7,000,000 bushels, a conference of experts called to devise new uses and new markets for potatoes was told by Dr. W. Gally of the National Research Council.

The conference was called and presided over by Dr. H. M. T. Tory, chairman of the National Research Council. New uses for Canadian potatoes included the making of such products as confectioner's glucose, grape sugar, syrup, starch, potato flour and potato chips and such other products as laundry starch, dextrose, glue, gum, alcohol and foundry moulds, the preservation and canning of potatoes; the use of potatoes as food for livestock.

An Imperial Lover

Love Letters Of Napoleon Sold At Auction For \$15,000

The grandiloquent expressions of an imperial lover—the letters of Napoleon to the Empress Marie-Louise—were sold at auction recently in London for \$75,000.

The letters, 318 in all, and dealing with every phrase of Napoleon's courtship, were bought in one block by the French government. They covered the whole heroic scene, the courtship, marriage and the Elba exile period.

Few of the letters which changed hands had been published. The last letter was that of a tired warrior, who said: "I long to see you and my son."

The letters were made available by the action of a nobleman, who remained anonymous, and who inherited them. The bids rose rapidly after an initial offer of \$2,500.

The Perfect Risk

If you are tall, thin, married and practically live on vegetables before the insurance man, as he considers you the perfect life insurance risk. Statistics from various sources show that tall men live longer than short men; thin men longer than fat; married men longer than bachelors and vegetarians outlive carnivorous individuals.

Villagers of Corinth, Greece, recently came upon a solid stone surface proved to be an ancient reservoir with decorated stairs leading down to it.

The municipal stadium of Cleveland, Ohio, cost more than \$3,000,000.

Lorne Ardiel



Re-Cleaned Grades For Western Grain

New Grades Ensure Practically Elimination Of Weed Seeds

By regulation under the Canada Grain Act, standards for re-cleaned grain applicable to any of the feed grades of wheat, oats and barley have been established. Whereas the standard grades allow tolerance up to three per cent. of fine weed seeds the re-cleaned grades require practically entire elimination of such seeds, as well as dust, but do not alter the wild oat tolerance.

Since western grain may not be inspected by inspection officers in the Eastern Division, grade certificates under the standard classification of the Board of Directors in Class "C" Mr. Ardil is known throughout the length and breadth of Canada and prior to the war served many years as a member of the Board of Directors of 22 carrying mercantile firms. He was born in London, Ontario, in 1890, and from 1915 to 1919 served as a member of the Canadian Corps. On returning to Canada he immediately entered the automobile industry, building up such national organizations throughout the Dominion as Canadian Oldsmobile, Canadian Ford. In 1930 he established the Lorne Ardil Company, Business Counselors, and acquired control of the Press Advertising Company, one of Canada's oldest national advertising agencies, established 1892. In addition, in 1930 he founded the World Institute of National Advertising, consisting of 50 members throughout the world, functioning for the interchange of all valuable and useful information regarding each country, its products, economy and merchandising. Through this affiliation comes a volume of information that is most valuable for central banking purposes.

He is regarded throughout Canada as possessing great experience in banking, industrial and business affairs, and has an intimate knowledge of every Province and section of Canada. Class "C" in the new Board calls for candidates of wide knowledge and experience and active in business.

Rapid Development

Civil Aviation Has Made Giant Strides In Few Years

If the air were an unsafe medium for travel, civil aviation would not have made the giant strides in popularity that it has made within recent years. In 1919, the year in which international civil flying began, the aggregate route mileage for the world was only 3,200, and the mileage down 1,022,000. By 1932 the route mileage had increased to 190,200, and in that year the number of miles flown reached the enormous total of 90,372,000. The lion's share of that traffic was taken by the United States, with its 5,932,969 miles flown and 540,681 passengers carried; but Great Britain, France, and Germany also have their network of air routes, and Canada, South Africa, Italy, India, Belgium, Denmark, Japan, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Russia, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Finland, and Romania are all served with air transport to greater or lesser degree—Melbourne Argus.

Silk From Pine Trees

Forces Of South May Be Able To Clothe World

Synthetic silk from South America pine trees—the first ever made—was shown at New York with announcement of the discovery of a process through which the pine forests of the South can be made to clothe the world. Making artificial yarns from the pines has been a goal of chemists for years. The inexhaustible supply in Southern forests is literally too great to meet all the needs of the human race for clothing. A shining white skein of yarn was exhibited at a dinner in honor of Dr. Charles H. Herty, of Savannah, Georgia, discoverer of the process.

Fitted For Position

The Bulgarian Association of Chauffeurs has a new president—King Boris. The position was given him, spokesman for the chauffeurs, not merely to flatter or to honor the sovereign, but because he is a "practical" chauffeur and mechanic.

More than that, he is an expert locomotive driver and already was head of the National Association of Locomotive Engineers.



REGISTRAR: "Have you been married before, madam? And if so, to whom?"

FILM STAR: "What's the big idea? Memory test?"

—The London Opinion

WHAT DOES YOUR HANDWRITING REVEAL?

By LAWRENCE HIBBERT
(Grapho-Analyst)
SAN FRANCISCO

Editor's note: Here is another interesting problem, with which the author has had to deal. Have you any problem upon which you would like some advice and guidance? This well-known handwriting expert repeats his invitation to readers following this week's article below.

A young lady of 19 wrote me in reply to my previous "For a few months I am still only 19 years of age. I have been going with a man of 33 years. We seem to be admirably suited to each other in spite of our ages. In coming to America, my friend—inclined to be somewhat sensitive, but I am the first girl to come into his life—has been getting fat. I am not ready for marriage, because I do not believe in early marriage and I was ambitious to become a doctor. I am not fat, but I am getting fat on account of the difference in our ages. I may say here that he is earning a good living, and money earned would not trouble us. I would not be fat for a few years before marrying him, but I couldn't bear to lose him."

Since then he has been a different man, very despondent at times, and intensely jealous of others. We are now in a bad position, and he is getting even more fat. His despondency changed, and he accused me of going out with other men. He was not to trust. Whenever I went to see him, he would swear at our house, he would accuse me of being responsible. At first I laughed all this away, but it got so bad that I realized that he meant what he was saying.

Over a year ago he turned to another girl because he was convinced that I was deceiving him. After a few months that was over, there was no girl who could convince him of the untruth of his statements? Or what do you advise?"

Here again we have this question of male and female differences in the case of the concerned. The man is 10 years older than the girl. This is not so bad, however, because their relative ages are still young. So the present case is not an insuperable obstacle. However, the matter of jealousy is a vital one.

This young man is one of the most insidious of characters, I am afraid. This young man has lost his self-control entirely, and has shown precious little respect for the girl he was to marry. I am continually seeing him do things he has.

The question arises—if he is so indiscriminately jealous of her now, when he is not even engaged to her, what would he be like when they were married?

Jealousy is one of those vices that must be cured before marriage.

The marriage ceremony of getting married is the only ceremony that can stimulate it. And a jealous husband is far worse than a jealous suitor, for a single girl can still give up the man, whereas once married, a man is difficult—and only after a great deal of unhappiness and tribulation.

It seems to me that the man in question is likely to continue to be jealous, and a wife will have to do a great deal to cure him of it at an early age. She is very young, and it will not be very difficult for her to gain new friendships.

Can the author help you? Do you wish to know about your handwriting? Do you want to discover the real nature of your friends? Send specimens of the writing you want analysed, stating birthday in each case. Enclose 10c for each specimen, and send with a stamped addressed envelope, to: Lawrence Hibbert, care of Winnipeg News-Press, Union, 1712 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg, Man. Letters are confidential, and replies will be mailed out as quickly as possible, but please allow at least two weeks for your reply.

A Valuable Plaything

Ambergris Found By Boy Worth Sixteen Thousand Dollars

A seventeen-pound lump of waxy-like substance picked up by a Rockland boy, Roderick Crandall, and used as a plaything, has been analyzed as ambergris, valued at \$16,000. Ambergris is a fatty substance from sperm whales and is used as the base in manufacture of perfumes. Young Crandall found the lump on the beach at Islesboro, Maine. His father, a carpenter, sent a specimen to a chemist who said it was pure ambergris. M. L. Decker, an Islesboro fisherman, is awaiting a chemist's report on another lump weighing 50 pounds.

Young Wife—"Guess what I've cooked for your dinner."

Young Husband—"I'll try. Let me see it."

AFTER OPERATION SHE GREW FAT

And Became Short-Winded

A letter just received from a woman states that she is writing in thanks for the benefit she has received. Here is her story:

"About 18 months ago everybody remarked how fat I was getting. I turned the scale at 196 lbs. I was fed up at getting so fat and it made me tired. When they asked what more was because I was getting fat slowly since I had had an operation for appendicitis. I went back to the hospital, and the doctor said most people get fat after an operation. I had to give up something I knew of to trv and get slim, so I thought I would give Kruchen Salts a trial. Started at first to take half a cupful of the salt, but after a few months I was at 178 lbs. I feel better than I have ever felt for a long time."

The formula of Kruchen represents the increased salts of the mineral waters of those European spas. It is used by thousands of millions of overweight people to reduce weight. Gentlv but surely, Kruchen ridls the system of all fat-forming food refuse, of all poisons and harmful acids which give rise to rheumatism, headaches, and many other ills.

Fought Death Nine Days

Three Men And A Woman Finally Rescued In Alaska

Three men and a woman, their airplane beaten down from the sides by a blizzard, fought death and hunger for nine days in a tunnel-like cabin near Anchorage, Alaska, before a rescue plane equipped with skis brought them to safety. "Inuring from food and skin."

That message, spelled out on the snow by the green branches of trees they had chopped, brought Pilots Roy Dickson and Chuck McLean down from the clouds to save them. Three planes previously had roared overhead and missed them because they flew too high to read the distress signal.

Mrs. Hazel McClung, wife of a Canadian mining man, Pilot Oscar Winchell and two mine operators, David Standberg and Weine Puntallo, had all been taken off McGrath on their way to Anchorage. Mrs. McClung intended to go to Juneau.

Their propeller chewed into a biting blizzard of sleet and snow, which coated the wings until the ship sagged weakly and then came down in an uninhabited region 150 miles from Anchorage, in 30 inches of snow. Equipped with wheels, the plane could not rise.

Taking a robe and light emergency rations from the plane the four beat a path through the snow to an old cabin. Fortune favored them, for they found the tattered fragments of some blankets and a few dried beans and some rice abandoned by a prospector.

Doling out these provisions, and melting snow for water, they existed nine days, each of the party losing 10 to 15 pounds.

Pensions For Thieves

Well Organized Band Discovered In Yugoslavia By Police

Receiving regular daily pay and a comfortable house and piece of land to retire on when each had stolen his quota, a band of thieves has been discovered by the police of Yugoslavia. According to a dispatch from Belgrade the gang had a leader-employer and specialized in robbing cooperative societies. All booty, money and goods were taken by the gang leader. Members were paid \$1.25 per day for their work, two or three times the pay of a skilled worker in the district. They often stole goods worth \$500 in one night. All their掠物 were carried out on the same plan. A hole was made in the wall of the store, the man went in and handed out the cut to another who loaded it on to a cart. A third man kept guard. The leader stayed at home and waited for the booty.

A Queer Problem

Relief Investigator Percy Mitchell of Stratford, Ont., has had some queer problems to solve but never before did they involve a race horse. During his inquiries he uncovered a relief recipient who owns a race horse. The man is grooming the horse for next year's races and in the meantime the relief committee is considering what is to be done with the unemployed racehorse owner.

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LLOYD GEORGE PLANS NEW DEAL FOR BRITAIN

London.—Former Premier David Lloyd George will shortly announce an avowedly Rooseveltian new deal program calculated to lift him above politics and invest him with the balance of power after the next election.

Due to be published in full in early January, the Independent Liberal leader's five-point project will urge improvements in slum elimination, relief works, swamp reclamation and reforestation, and will repeat the demand for state control of the Bank of England.

Forseeing that neither Conservatives nor Laborites will gain an absolute majority, Lloyd George counts on his constructive plan to win the moral support of numerous members of both these parties. He further believes that by placing the plan before their electorates, some candidates, who would run in vain as Liberals, will be returned to parliament. The Liberal ticket, according to his reckoning, is out of date.

Thus the Lloyd George group would become the most active element in national development. The group, he figures would be in a position to give or withhold the support necessary for either Conservatives or Laborites to control a majority and govern.

Lloyd George proposes Britain adopt a plan of reorganization for greater efficiency. The reorganization is designed to affect finance, industry, agriculture, shipping, housing, transportation and electricity.

The little Welshman spent five months on his estate at Churt drawing up the plan. He devoted his entire time to it, aided by experts whom he chose without thought of their political beliefs. They are, he says, "all eminent and authoritative in their respective spheres."

"The American new deal," he says, "has shown how essential it is to reconstruct completely if depression in every phase of economic life is to be defeated. The plan we have produced is a new deal for this country."

The idea behind the new deal is two-fold. First, economics is given precedence over politics. Then, it provides for rationalization of the country's activity under state control, in order to increase the circulation of money and merchandise. The aim and outcome of the plan is to decrease unemployment.

More Naval Conversations

Britain's Foreign Secretary Hoping Talks May Be Resumed

London.—"I may express the firm hope, the efforts we have all been making to secure the ground will enable further conversations to take place in say two or three months' time," said Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, in an address on the tri-power naval talks which were formally adjourned.

Emphasizing the British view that the talks, designed to pave the way for negotiation of a substitute for the Washington naval treaty, have not come to an end but are merely adjourned, Sir John said that France and Italy were being kept in touch with all that had been going on between Britain, the United States and Japan.

Trans-Atlantic Air Route

Only Way To Bridge Atlantic Is By Non-Stop Flight

London.—The Daily Herald says that aviation experts have decided the only way to bridge the North Atlantic by air is a non-stop flight.

Reports made following surveys for possible air routes linking Canada and the United Kingdom varied from "impossible" to "good," The Herald says.

Three large aeroplane building concerns, it continues, have started building trans-Atlantic flying boats for an air route linking Canada to Britain but it will take two years before the craft are commercially proved.

Fewer Bonds Maturing

Ottawa.—Governments in Canada will have fewer financial worries in 1935 than in 1934 in the way of maturing bond issues, according to estimates prepared by A. E. Ames & Co. Limited, which estimated the amount of Canadian bonds maturing next year to be about 30 per cent less than this year.

Prepare For House Opening

Quiet Preparations Now Going On For Pending Session

Ottawa.—A pre-holiday lull has come noticeable in political circles, although frequent arrivals in Ottawa of members of the House of Commons, representative of both government and opposition, are taken as indicative of the quiet preparations going forward both for the pending session of parliament and the general elections.

Date of the opening of parliament has already been announced for Jan. 17, but if any tentative time has been set for the session it has been kept secret. It is known, however, that the appeal will be no later than October, and in some circles it is believed it will not come before that month.

Recent speeches of the prime minister have indicated an apparent desire on the part of the government to prepare the people at large, and business people in particular, for radical legislation which will appear during the forthcoming session.

Reference has been made again for interference by governments arising from the recommendations of the basic buying commission, which is still hearing evidence. There will also be the unemployment insurance legislation, which has already been officially announced as in preparation for parliament.

Preparation of estimates has been going forward for some time by the various departments, and it is anticipated Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes will be in a position to present them to parliament at an early date in the session.

Court House Burned

Tennessee Mob Causes Disorders In Attempting To Skin Negro

Shelbyville, Tenn.—A mob of several hundred persons, two of their number already slain and others wounded, milled about the ruins of the county court house here as an army of national guardsmen hurried here to quell disorders growing out of a futile attempt to seize a negro.

Fed by gasoline poured on by the mob, flames destroyed the \$150,000 brick building which a few hours earlier had held the object of the mob's fury—a negro charged with assaulting a 14-year-old white girl. The negro was whisked away, disguised in a soldier's uniform, and taken to Nashville.

From over the state, 500 men were mobilized and rushed into Shelbyville under orders from Gov. Hill McAllister.

Angered by the ruse and apparently intent upon showering their wrath on guardmen and the county officers, the mob allegedly sprinkled the 75-year-old Bedford county court house with gasoline and set fire to it.

Firemen said the mob hindered them in fighting the flames. Dynamite which had been torn to the court house building during the height of disturbance had exploded, but no one was injured.

Price For Beef Cattle

Western Stock Growers Want Price Fixed For Certain Grades

Calgary.—Appointment of a committee of three experts to fix a minimum price for certain marketable grades of beef cattle will be urged upon the federal government by the Western Stock Growers' Association.

The minimum price would be on certain grades of cattle standardized on the Winnipeg market and the committee would have power to fix a grade below which no cattle could be marketed for human consumption in Canada.

A resolution urging the minimum price scheme will be forwarded to Ottawa shortly.

Ask Removal Of Duty

Calgary.—Seeking assistance for the beef cattle industry, Alberta stockmen will petition the federal government urging it to negotiate with the United States for the removal of duty on cattle entering that country.

At a meeting here attended by 130 growers representative of the Western Stock Growers' Association a resolution urging the duty removal was adopted.

New Observatory For Toronto

Toronto.—Official opening of the new Dunlap observatory of the University of Toronto will be held May 31 when D. C. A. Chant, professor of astrophysics, who had long sought this addition, will celebrate his 70th birthday. Sir Frank Dyson, former astronomer royal of Great Britain, will attend the opening.

Herds Of Caribou

Thousands Of These Animals Roaming Northern Areas

Edmonton.—Great herds of caribou are roaming about Old Fort, 30 miles distant from Fort Chipewyan, N.W.T., and are gradually coming closer to Chipewyan than for many years, says a wireless dispatch to the Edmonton Journal.

As a result, there is scarcely a male inhabitant of Chipewyan who has not participated in the big caribou hunt. This meat supply is proving a great help to the trappers of the district who have had to date an exceptionally poor fur catch.

Hunters, as well as airmen flying to and from Beaver Lodge lake, report that there are thousands of caribou and that many of the small lakes appear to be literally packed with the caribou herds. Trappers who had 75 pelts by Christmas season last year now have only seven or eight furs to barter for supplies. Open water in rivers and swamps prevents animals coming in from the bush where they are plentiful and also handicaps the trappers in making their rounds.

Colder weather will help as the quality of the furs is good.

FOLLY OF WAR TO BE SHOWN IN A NEW FILM

Ottawa.—The folly and futility of war, its sacrifices, heroism and tragic aftermath, are starkly portrayed in a motion picture produced under approval of the Canadian government and expected to have its premiere here early next year.

Selected and compiled from thousands of feet of war film in the custody of the government, it is now in process of completion here. The government authorized the Canadian Legion to sponsor the picture, responding to a general demand from Canada's war veterans for showings of the innumerable moving pictures taken of the Canadian troops in France, and, at the same time, having in mind the salutary message a film of this type has for the public at large.

Under the direction of a special inter-departmental committee appointed by the government, work on the film has been in progress for nearly a year.

The committee's task was to select from many thousands of feet of film shot in Canada, the United Kingdom and France particular scenes characteristic of Canadian achievement from 1914 to 1918. The war-time films were resurrected—some six years ago when public sentiment, aroused by the danger of these historical records being lost through neglect, prompted the government of the day to gather them up and turn them over to the motion picture bureau where they were put in an excellent state of preservation.

Originally the films were made under the direction of the national war memorial committee, an off-shoot of the Canadian records office established in 1915 by Lord Beaverbrook.

Some weeks ago the prime minister and cabinet members had a preview of the forthcoming film and approved its release under the sponsorship of the legion.

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SOLD BOTH SIDES ARMS



Emile S. Jones, agent for a United States munitions company in South America, is pictured as he was seen in a witness before the Senate Committee investigating armament transactions in Washington. Testimony that United States companies sold arms both to Paraguay and Bolivia in the Gran Chaco war was presented to the committee.

Communists Arrested

Stalin Determined To Avenge Murder Of Serge Kiroff

London.—The Daily Express carried a despatch from its Moscow correspondent saying Gregory Zinovief and Leo Kameneff, another former leader of the Communist International, were arrested at the Kremlin gates and placed under "house arrest."

The despatch said Zinovief was brought to Moscow by plane from the Urals under orders of Joseph Stalin, who interviewed him for half an hour in the Kremlin.

Stalin was quoted as saying in a statement:

"I shall not rest until the last man is avenged." The Zinovief-Kameneff opposition is destroyed. It is not enough to remove these people themselves. We must dig up the roots and tear down the branches of their organization."

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A Christmas Truce

Tranquility To Be Preserved In Saar Territory Over The Holiday

Saarbruecken, Saar Basin Territory.—A Christmas truce to preserve tranquility in the Saar Territory over the holiday was declared by the League of Nations plebiscite commission.

Both Nazis and anti-Nazis were pledged to keep the peace from December 23 to December 27, hold no meetings and forget the immensity of the January 13 plebiscite to determine the future sovereignty of the Saar.

The truce was declared as 200 British Tommies, advance contingent of the international patrol force, occupied their billets.

Nazis, regarding the troops' arrival without demonstration, warned the young women of the Saar against forming any romantic attachment for the foreign soldiers.

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Winnipeg.—John I. McFarland, head of the Canadian government wheat agency and general manager of the Canadian wheat pool, charged terminal elevator interests at Port Williams and Port Arthur with charging excessive premiums and establishing a holding policy against exporters.

Rumblings of the situation and rumors in the grain trade were brought into the open by Mr. McFarland in an interview, when he declared exporters had bitterly resented the difficulties they experienced since the truce was declared.

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New Wage Agreement

Workers Get Three Per Cent. Of Pay Cut Restored

Montreal.—Canada's 100,000 railway workers and their families will spend a merry Christmas in anticipation of the fact that from the first day of the new year they will have restored to them three per cent. of the 15 per cent. pay cut previously made, and from May 1, 1935, they will have two per cent. more returned to them, bringing the deduction to 10 per cent.

An agreement to this effect was reached some weeks ago between the managers of Canada's railways and the officers of the running trades' brotherhoods. An announcement was made by J. McGuire, general chairman of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railroad employees, whose 12,000 members include many miscellaneous classifications and workers, that a similar agreement to that of the running trades has been signed.

It is understood at the same time the executives of the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways have decided to extend the provisions of these agreements to several thousand and office workers and other unorganized employees.

Irish Citizenship Bill

To Remove Any Suggestion That Irish People Are British Subjects

Dublin.—The Irish Free State's citizenship bill passed through final stages in the dail recently. It was approved by a vote of 51 to 36.

Explaining the intention of the bill, Senator Eamonn de Valera said it aimed at removing from Irish law any suggestion that the Irish were British subjects. The Free State could not afford a British act, he said, but if the British would remove from their statute the suggestion that persons in the Free State were claimed as British subjects the Free State would welcome the step.

This apparently was a conciliatory step taken by De Valera to avoid arousing undue antagonism in Britain over passage of the bill. De Valera's Secretary J. H. Thomas told the House of Commons some days ago he had been advised on the high legal authority the Irish bill could not deprive any person of his status as a citizen of the British commonwealth.

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JAPAN DECIDES TO ABROGATE NAVAL TREATY

Tokyo.—Emperor Hirohito affixed the imperial seal to the documents concerning Japanese abrogation of the Washington naval treaty.

The cabinet previously approved the documents and all members countersigned them. Final notification of the treaty denunciation is expected to be handed to Secretary of State Cordell Hull at Washington after Christmas, although a draft of the communication is expected to be telegraphed at once to Ambassador Hiroshi Satoh.

Coincident with the cabinet and imperial action, the press commented on the London naval conversations and pictured the United States as the villain of the international naval drama. American obstinacy was blamed and the attitude of the United States was contrasted with the "reasonableness" of Great Britain.

Other comments spoke of Great Britain's zeal for an agreement, moderation and reasonableness.

Ontario's Pension Plan

New System Expected To Save Province Large Sum

Toronto.—Introduction of new system of dealing with old age pensions in Ontario on Jan. 1 will save the provincial government \$35,000 and municipalities almost \$80,000, Hon. David A. Croll, Ontario minister of welfare and municipal affairs, told a delegation which called to protest against the new plan.

Under the new system county judges rather than local boards will decide on applications for pensions.

Principles of argument of delegates was that the changes was that the county judge could not possess the intimate knowledge of the individual cases which was open to the members of the present boards.

Grain Exports To U.S.

Sale Of Farm Products During Five Months Totaled Thirteen Million Dollars

Ottawa.—An enormous increase was shown in the export of farm products to the United States in November when they totalled in value \$75,000 compared with \$369,000 in the corresponding month last year, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported recently. The increase was due chiefly to the sale of 2,038,000 bushels of barley at \$1.562,000 and 1,888,000 bushels of wheat at \$1.522,000, the foreign states.

Export of farm products to the United States during the five months ended November totalled \$13,000,000 which was more than double the same period last year.

Schools For Indians

Delegation Meets Prime Minister To Discuss Question

Ottawa.—A round-table discussion of residential and day schools maintained for Indians in Canada was held in the office of Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, who received a delegation of 14 made up of clergy, laymen and women interested in this problem. No definite conclusions were attempted, it was learned, but the opinions of the church bodies represented were laid before the prime minister for his consideration. It was stated Mr. Bennett assured the delegation of the government's desire to make the schools as efficient as possible and that their suggestions would be given full consideration.

Suggest Names For Directors

Seven Suggested For New Bank By Chamber Of Commerce

Montreal.—The Canadian Chamber of Commerce published a slate of seven from among the 69 nominees for directors of the Bank of Canada which it recommends to shareholders of the bank.

Following is the slate: William K. McKeon, Halifax; Robert A. Wright, Drinckwater, Sask.; William D. Black, Hamilton, Ont.; Robert J. Major, Montreal; Joseph Beauchamp, Montreal; Thomas Bradshaw, Toronto, and William C. Woodward, Vancouver.

PAY-DAY SPECIALS

ALL CHOICE QUALITY MEATS ONLY	
WESTERN BEEF	3 lbs 25c
ROAST BEEF	1 lb 10c
DILLING or STEWING BEEF	1 lb 5c
STEWING LAMB	4 lbs 25c
STEWING VEAL	4 lbs 25c
CHEESEY VENISON SHOULDER	1 lb 6c
BEEF SHOULDER ROAST	1 lb 6c
PORK SHOULDER ROAST	1 lb 15c
PORK LEG, Whole or Half	1 lb 16c
No. 1 LAMB LEG or LOIN	1 lb 18c
CHEESEY VENISON LEG or LOIN	1 lb 25c
CURED PORK and BACON	1 lb from 18c to 25c
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PORK SAUSAGE, Small Size	1 lb 15c
FRESH SALMON, HALIBUT and COD	1 lb 25c
SALT PORK	2 lbs 35c

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The midnight Mass at St. Anne's church on Christmas Eve was as usual very largely attended.

Fifteen persons were killed in a train crash near Hamilton on Christmas night.

Captain J. E. Berdier, noted French-Canadian Arctic explorer, died at his home in Lévis, Quebec, on Wednesday, aged 82.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Flinn, of the North Fork, are spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. Flinn at Lethbridge.

Jack Connick, for a number of years accountant and credit manager with the Western Canada Wholesale Co. at Fernie, will resign that position to take over the general clerkship of the city of Fernie.

W. Fraser is down from Edmonton to spend the Christmas vacation with his mother and sister.

Miss Nellie Royle, who has been teaching near Edmonton, is home for the Christmas vacation.

Quite a number of University students arrived from Edmonton to spend the Christmas vacation at their homes here.

We thank the F. M. Thompson Co., the Blairstown Hardware Co., and many others for beautiful calendars for 1935.

With our next issue, The Enterprise enters upon its twenty-sixth year of continuous publication under the present proprietor. Although twenty-six years of age, we haven't started to raise a moustache yet.

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Press Representative, Western Region, Winnipeg, Dec. 24, 1934.

Alberta Savings Certificates

New Interest Rate on Certificates Issued After Jan. 1, 1935

3% per annum will be paid on certificates redeemable on demand.	3 1/2% per annum will be paid on certificates redeemable in one year.
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Local and General Items

The Editor will be pleased to receive items for this section, regarding visitors, embarking parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, etc. Please items in 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office no later than Wednesday evenings.

The interior of the Royal Cafe is being decorated.

The Calgary Albertan has decided to again become a morning paper.

The Enterprise wishes all its readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Miss May Maltman, Cranbrook high school teacher, is a holiday guest of Miss Madeleine Chardon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herdman McLeod left Mercoal recently to spend a vacation at the Pacific coast.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Hyne, at the Claresholm hospital on December the 17th, a daughter. Dad Palmer says: "Dad deserved it!"

Mrs. Edna Powers received word last week end of the serious illness of her mother and left on Saturday for Portland, Oregon. She expects to be back in her shop shortly.

Miss Frances J. Sly, daughter of Mrs. Sly and the late L. M. Sly, and Peter Brennan, both of Cranbrook, were married at High River on December the 21st.

The little four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Chahley died at Coleman on Saturday morning. The body was forwarded to Grand Forks for burial.

When Penman of Hillcrest, opened up the bag of his bippines a few days ago, he found among other things three quids of McDonald's chewing tobacco, four nickels and eleven natural and false teeth. Some of the latter were partly or wholly gold. Of course, he has only had the sc-called instrument for twelve years.

A local guy, who until but a few weeks ago endeavored to raise side-lights, has threatened to sue us for damages following an article appearing in a recent issue of The Enterprise, which he claims belittled his so-called wonderful crop. We are offering no defense, but promise to provide the necessary fertilizer.

In spite of the severe weather on Sunday last, a record turnout appeared at the United church for the annual Christmas carol service. The service was conducted by Rev. A. E. Larke. About forty members of the Choral Society formed the choir under the conductorship of Mr. T. S. Beynon, with Miss Chardon as organist. The service was much enjoyed.

The Christmas special edition of Cranbrook Courier contained greetings from The Mayor, The Lieutenant-Governor, The Minister of Public Works, The Board of School Trustees, The Churches, Hospital, the premier of the province and many organizations which were not Red, Santa Claus himself. The whole paper was practically printed on green paper. Has it been in Blairstown, it might have been Red.

An issue of \$20,500,000 sixteen-year three per cent guaranteed bonds of the Canadian National Railways has been awarded to a syndicate of Canadian banks and bond dealers. The price received by the company represents the lowest interest cost since the Canadian National Railways were formed and, apart from short term financing, is better than that received in any issue made by the Dominion government in the Canadian market.

Husband: "What possessed you to choose lemon color for your new gown?"

Wife: "It was because I had such a job squeezing it out of you."

Barber: "Your head is sadly in need of a shampoo, sir."

Hardware store: "Yes, your house needs painting, but I don't worry you about it."

Specials

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Christmas dinner, he must envy the spent the Christmas vacation with her parents at Elbow.

The Misses Passmore were down from Cranbrook to spend Christmas with their parents.

Mr. V. Kriksky, of the Central Meat Market, has been confined to his home through illness for several days.

BE WITH THE CROWD on New Year's Eve and make whoopee at the Elk's 11th annual dance-frolic, Columbus hall. Noisemakers, confetti, 'n everything.

W. A. Vaughn has resigned his position with the Western Canada Wholesale Company, of Fernie, and has accepted a similar position as district drummer for the Western Grocers, of Lethbridge.

Some people are of the opinion

that Abarth's social credit scheme didn't win any votes by his visit to The Pass yesterday. Of course, Abarth stated that he was not looking for votes.

Emil Lust, popular boxer of Medicine Hat and contender for the Canadian welterweight title, who appeared favorably at Coleman recently, won't

decision over Hank Post, of Spokane, in a 10-round bout in Vancouver.

Social Credit groups throughout the Drumheller valley will discuss the advisability of entering provincial politics. The executive has already placed itself on record as favoring the entering of a Social Credit candidate in the field at the next election, but rank and file opinion will determine future policy.

Many letters of congratulations have been received upon our recent Christmas Number. One subscriber stated that were he in the position to advertise he would like to have occupied a full page in such a neatly arranged paper, carrying in it such an immense volume of excellent Christmas reading matter.

The Elk's turkey draw was held at the Orpheum theatre last Friday night, the following were winners of the turkeys: Blairstown—Margaret Kerr, No. 24; E. B. Jones, 130; J. E. Gillis, 1321; M. G. Rhynes, 210; J. Pilliford, 584; Denis Fleming, 574; P. Gray, 324; L. Pozzi (three), 500, 503, 504; Bellevue—W. Jallep, 111; S. Fidato, 824; Hillcrest—J. Dudley, 670; J. Cruckshank, 799; Margo Colosimo, 786; J. Elck, 819; J. Lipnick, 785; G. B. Rose, 980; C. Makin, 70; N. Kybich, 792. Mayor Knight made the drawing.

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In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, who died December the 22nd, 1932.

"Redeemed from earth and pain, Ah! when shall we ascend, And all in Jesus' presence reign With our trusted friend."

Inserted by her husband, Martin Serra, and daughter Mary, Bellevue, Alberta.

MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSES

Announcing reduction in fees effective January 1, 1935. Reduced fees for lower priced passenger cars will be charged as follows:

Not exceeding 100 inch Wheelbase	\$10.00
Exceeding 100 inch up to 105 inch Wheelbase	\$12.50
Exceeding 105 inch up to 110 inch Wheelbase	\$15.00
Exceeding 110 inch up to 115 inch Wheelbase	\$20.00

The fee on all cars exceeding 115 inch Wheelbase will be the same as in 1934.

A reduction of \$1.00 will also be made in the fees for models made eight years previous to January 1 of the current license year, on those cars with Wheelbase of 120 inches or less.

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